## IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA CHARLOTTE DIVISION CRIMINAL DOCKET NO. 3:06CR43 V

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	)	
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VS.	)	
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TELISHA RACHETTE WATKINS (2)	)	
CHRISTINA LOPEZ (3)	)	
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**THIS MATTER** is before the Court on its own motion to continue the captioned criminal matter from the 15 May 2006 criminal term in the Charlotte Division.

The Court finds that the Defendants' cases are "joined for trial with a co-defendant as to whom the time for trial has not run and no motion for severance has been granted," 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7), and that failure to continue this matter would result in a miscarriage of justice. 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(8)(B)(i). The Court further finds that the ends of justice served by taking such action outweigh the best interest of the public and the Defendants to a speedy trial.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that this case is hereby continued from the May 2006 criminal term in the Charlotte Division to the 24 July 2006 criminal term in the Charlotte Division.

Signed: May 1, 2006

Richard L. Voorhees Chief United States District Judge